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## RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 EXPEDITED PROCEDURE REQUESTED EXAMINING GROUP 1618

**PATENT** 

Attorney Docket No. 3327.2346-00

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:	) \
Y. Okada et al.	) Group Art Unit: 1618
Application No.: 10/578,682	) Examiner: N. Ebrahim
Filed: May 9, 2006	) ) ) Confirmation No.: 3661
For: Pharmaceutical Composition for Treatment of Tear and Salivary Fluid Drying	) ) Mail Stop AF )

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

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## **AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL**

Applicant replies to the Office Action mailed October 29, 2007 ("Office Action") the period for response having been extended to February 29, 2008, by a request for extension of one month and fee payment filed concurrently herewith. Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims in this paper.

Remarks/Arguments follow the amendment sections of this paper.